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**PATENT**  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 04329.2217

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re Application of:**

Masue SHIBA et al.

**Application No.: 09/487,483**

**Filed: January 19, 2000**

For: ARITHMETIC METHOD AND  
APPARATUS AND CRYPTO  
PROCESSING APPARATUS FOR  
PERFORMING MULTIPLE TYPES  
OF CRYPTOGRAPHY (As  
Amended)

**Group Art Unit: 2134**

**Examiner: M. Simitoski**

**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**Sir:**

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

**Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to reply to the Office**

**Action mailed June 7, 2004. A fee of \$110.00 is enclosed.**

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

**Respectfully submitted,**

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